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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 16, 2003 (Paper Number 9), Applicant respectfully elects Group I (claims 1-5), drawn to a method of preparing a vector.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for careful consideration of this case. Please charge any fees that may be associated with this matter, or credit any overpayments, to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully Submitted,

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